

# Patient—hospital insurance status, code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Metadata item type:   | Data Element                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Short name:           | Hospital insurance status                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| METEOR identifier:    | 647326                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Registration status:  | <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 05/10/2016<br><a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Standard 23/06/2020                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Definition:           | Hospital insurance as represented by a code under one of the following categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Registered insurance - hospital insurance with a health insurance fund registered under the <i>National Health Act 1953</i> (Cwth)</li><li>• General insurance - hospital insurance with a general insurance company under a guaranteed renewable policy providing benefits similar to those available under registered insurance</li><li>• No hospital insurance or benefits coverage under the above.</li></ul> |
| Data Element Concept: | <a href="#">Patient—hospital insurance status</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Value Domain:         | <a href="#">Hospital insurance status code N</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

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| <b>Representation class:</b>     | Code         |                       |
| <b>Data type:</b>                | Number       |                       |
| <b>Format:</b>                   | N            |                       |
| <b>Maximum character length:</b> | 1            |                       |
|                                  | <b>Value</b> | <b>Meaning</b>        |
| <b>Permissible values:</b>       | 1            | Hospital insurance    |
|                                  | 2            | No hospital insurance |
| <b>Supplementary values:</b>     | 9            | Unknown               |

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

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| Guide for use: | CODE 2 No hospital insurance<br><br>This code refers to persons covered by insurance for benefits of ancillary services.<br><br>CODE 9 Unknown<br><br>This code should not be used in primary collections but can be used to record unknown insurance status in databases.<br><br>This metadata item is to determine whether the patient has hospital insurance, not their method of payment for the episode of care. |
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**Comments:**

Insurance status was reviewed and modified to reflect changes to new private health insurance arrangements under the *Health Legislation (Private Health Insurance Reform) Amendment Act 1995*.

Employee health benefits schemes became illegal with the implementation of Schedule 2 of the private health insurance reforms, effective on 1 October 1995.

Under Schedule 4 of the private health insurance reforms, on 1 July 1997, the definition of the 'basic private table' or 'basic table', and 'supplementary hospital table' and any references to these definitions was omitted from the *National Health Act 1953*. All hospital tables offered by registered private health insurers since 29 May 1995 have been referred to as 'Applicable Benefits Arrangements' and marketed under the insurer's own product name.

**Relational attributes****Related metadata references:**

Supersedes [Patient—hospital insurance status, code N Health](#), Superseded 05/10/2016

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| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | <a href="#">Admitted patient care admission related data elements (TDLU) cluster</a><br>Tasmanian Health, Superseded 10/11/2023                                                                                                                 |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care admission related data elements (TDLU) cluster</a><br>Tasmanian Health, Standard 10/11/2023<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2023<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2025                     |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care admission related data elements (TDLU) cluster (Private Hospitals)</a><br>Tasmanian Health, Standard 20/11/2023<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2023<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2025 |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care NMDS 2017-18</a><br>Health, Superseded 25/01/2018<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2017<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2018                                                               |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care NMDS 2018-19</a><br>Health, Superseded 12/12/2018<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2018<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2019                                                               |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care NMDS 2019-20</a><br>Health, Superseded 18/12/2019<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2019<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2020                                                               |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care NMDS 2020-21</a><br>Health, Superseded 05/02/2021<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2020<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2021                                                               |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care NMDS 2021-22</a><br>Health, Superseded 20/10/2021<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2021<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2022                                                               |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care NMDS 2022-23</a><br>Health, Superseded 20/12/2022<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2022<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2023                                                               |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care NMDS 2023-24</a><br>Health, Superseded 06/12/2023<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2023<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2024                                                               |
|                                            | <a href="#">Admitted patient care NMDS 2024-25</a><br>Health, Standard 06/12/2023<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2024<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2025                                                                 |
|                                            | <a href="#">Tasmanian Admitted Patient Data Set - 2020</a><br>Tasmanian Health, Superseded 22/11/2023<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2020<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2021                                             |
|                                            | <a href="#">Tasmanian Admitted Patient Data Set - 2021</a><br>Tasmanian Health, Superseded 22/11/2023<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2021<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2022                                             |
|                                            | <a href="#">Tasmanian Admitted Patient Data Set - 2022</a><br>Tasmanian Health, Superseded 22/11/2023<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2022<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2023                                             |
|                                            | <a href="#">Tasmanian Admitted Patient Data Set - 2023</a><br>Tasmanian Health, Standard 22/11/2023<br><b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2023<br><b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2024                                               |

